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Appendix II.

[Vide answer to question No. 1200 asked by Mr. Basheer Ahmad Sayeed at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 31st January 1929, page 430 supra.]

648 *Q.*—Mr. Basheer Ahmad Sayeed: Will the hon. the Minister for Development be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of co-operative credit societies and banks in the districts of Coimbatore, Salem, South Arcot and Nilgiris;

(*b*) the number of such co-operative societies and banks exclusively established by and intended for Muslims in those districts;

(*c*) whether it is a fact that the Registrar of Co-operative Societies recently refused to register a Provincial Co-operative Muslim Bank at Udumalpet, Coimbatore district; and

(*d*) if so, why the application of the Muslim gentleman from Udumalpet was rejected; and whether the Government will place the correspondence on the table.

A.—(*a*)	Coimbatore	567
	Salem	469
	South Arcot	845
	The Nilgiris	62
(*b*)	Coimbatore	Nil.
	Salem	2
	South Arcot	3
	The Nilgiris	Nil.

(*c*) & (*d*) No such application was received.

Appendix III.

[Vide answer to question No. 1223 asked by Mr. J. A. Saldanha at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 31st January 1929, page 448 supra.]

EXTRACT FROM THE RULES UNDER THE REGISTRATION ACT.

Chapter I.

Office hours and holidays.

1. The offices of all Registrars and Sub-Registrars shall be open for at least six hours daily, Sundays and holidays excepted. The usual hours shall be from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and these shall not be altered except with the approval of the Inspector-General. If an alteration of these hours is sanctioned by the Inspector-General, a notice showing the altered hours shall be affixed in a prominent place in each office for the information of the public.

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